

# WORLD of SPORT

## HALL BLANKS FARMERS TILL NINTH; PHOENIX WINS THIRD GAME 8-6

Hits in Ninth and Inexorable Errors by Phoenix Infielders Let in Nearly enough Runs to Tie Up the Score

### MC'REERY DOES A BIT OF TWIRLING

Game Most Snappy and Brilliant Seen in El Paso Until Tension is Relaxed in the Final Scoreful Inning

(Special to The Republican)

EL PASO, May 21.—Phoenix hit the ball opportunely and won the third straight game from Las Cruces here today, by a score of 8 to 6, a brilliant batting rally in the ninth inning saving the farmers from a shut out. Aside from the ninth inning the contest was one of the most brilliant fielding games witnessed on the local diamond. McAdie, Dowling and Scanlon, being the chief performers in the lax frame.

The victory enabled Phoenix to strengthen its position at the head of the league, having won thirteen and lost four games to date.

The Senators got off at the post and piled up a commanding lead in the early innings which the farmers were unable to overcome in the fatal ninth.

Hall, of Phoenix, twirled a consistent game, allowing but three hits until the ninth when four safeties and three timely errors manufactured a total of six runs, a brilliant running catch by J. Nutt, finally ending the scoring, near the right field fence.

In the fourth the Senators started scoring when McAdie got a single into left field. Five more were added in the sixth when McAdie hit the first ball pitched into right field for a single.

Lew McHaffey, the umpire, was very poor on balls and strikes, several runs being made as a result of his poor work, as the lucky batter seemed invariably to get a hit, which later figured in the runmaking.

McAdie, Pittman, Nutt, Hall and Scanlon crossed the plate in the sixth, as a result of six safe hits, an error in

### The Statistics

PHOENIX	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Demaggio	5	0	2	1	0	0
Hester, 1b.	5	1	2	7	1	0
McAdie, ss.	5	2	2	4	9	2
Dowling, 2b.	5	0	2	5	2	1
Lynn, c.	4	0	2	5	0	0
Pittman, cf.	4	1	1	1	0	1
Nutt, lf.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Scanlon, 3b.	4	1	1	1	1	1
Hall, p.	4	2	4	0	4	0
Toner, lb.	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCreery, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	41	8	18	27	17	5

LAS CRUCES	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Seaton, 2b.	5	1	2	1	5	0
McArvey, 3b.	5	1	1	2	1	0
Hurley, 1b.	4	1	1	12	3	0
Goldie, cf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Bliss, c.	3	1	0	7	3	4
Pfeiffer, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wilke, ss.	4	1	0	3	3	1
Lee, rf.	4	0	2	1	1	1
Russell, lb.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Black *	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	6	8	27	19	2

Runs and hits by innings:  
Phoenix.....000 105 020-8  
Hits.....111 236 040-18  
Las Cruces.....000 000 006-6  
Hits.....111 000 004-1  
\* Batted for Lee in the ninth.

**Summary**  
Pitched by Hall 82-3, by McCreery 1-3; runs made off Hall 6, off McCreery 0; hits apportioned off Hall 7, off McCreery 0; two base hits—McAdie, Hall, Hurley, Seaton; three base hits—Hall; stolen bases—Scanlon, sacrifice hit—Russell; struck out—By Hall 5, by Russell 6; base on balls—Off Hall 3; hit by pitched ball—By Russell 1; double plays—McAdie to Dowling to Hester, Hester to McAdie, Wilke to Hurley. Time of game, 1:50. Umpire Mahaffey.

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### BASEBALL BOOKKEEPING

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Rio Grande Association			
Club—	W.	L.	
PHOENIX .....	13	4	
Paso .....	12	5	
Albuquerque .....	11	5	
Tucson .....	7	11	
Las Cruces .....	4	12	
Douglas .....	3	13	

#### National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	11	.607
Chicago	18	12	.600
Pittsburgh	15	15	.500
Boston	14	14	.500
Brooklyn	14	15	.483
St. Louis	15	17	.469
Cincinnati	12	16	.429
New York	11	16	.407

#### American League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	10	.630
Chicago	20	12	.625
Detroit	19	12	.613
Boston	13	11	.542
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	12	16	.429
St. Louis	11	20	.355
Philadelphia	10	19	.345

#### Federal League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	17	12	.585
Newark	18	12	.600
Chicago	18	13	.581
Kansas City	15	13	.536
Brooklyn	15	14	.517
St. Louis	12	15	.444
Baltimore	12	19	.387
Buffalo	9	21	.290

#### Coast League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	28	12	.695
San Francisco	25	20	.556
Salt Lake	22	19	.537
Oakland	24	24	.500
Portland	19	24	.442
Venice	17	26	.395

#### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Rio Grande Association  
PHOENIX AT LAS CRUCES.  
El Paso at Douglas.  
Albuquerque at Tucson.

National League  
St. Louis at Brooklyn  
Chicago at Boston  
Pittsburgh at New York  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

American League  
Philadelphia at Detroit  
Washington at Cleveland  
New York at St. Louis  
Boston at Chicago.

Federal League  
Newark at St. Louis  
Brooklyn at Chicago  
Buffalo at Kansas City  
Baltimore at Pittsburgh.

Coast League  
San Francisco at Salt Lake  
Los Angeles at Oakland  
Portland at Venice.

### National League

#### COMEDY OF ERRORS

BOSTON, May 21.—Rudolph and Lavender in a pitchers' battle and Connolly's miff in the fourth permitted the visitors to score two runs when two were out.

Score— R H E  
Chicago.....3 7 1  
Boston.....2 7 1  
Batteries: Lavender and Archer; Rudolph and Gowdy, Whaling, Traegressor.

No others, rain and wet.

### American League

#### CONSIDERABLE GAME

CHICAGO, May 21.—This was the longest game of the season and Faber's seventh straight victory. Daly, batting for Faber in the last, singled with the bases full and Weaver scored.

Score— R H E  
Boston.....2 15 2  
Chicago.....3 12 1  
(17 innings)

#### PHILLIES SLUG

DETROIT, May 21.—The visitors won a slugging match. Dauss, who replaced Boland in the seventh, passed six out of nine men with none out.

Score— R H E  
Philadelphia.....11 17 3  
Detroit.....8 11 0  
Batteries: Shawkey, Davies and Schang; Boland, Dauss, Cavet and Starfage, Baker.

#### ST. LOOEY WINS

ST. LOUIS, May 21.—A batting rally in the ninth gave the locals the victory.

Score— R H E  
New York.....4 7 3  
St. Louis.....5 11 5  
Batteries: Fisher and Sweeney; Loudermilk, Perryman and Agnew.

Other games postponed on account of rain.

At one-third regular prices you can buy delicious Cuban-grown Red Spanish pineapples. Today. At your dealers.—Adv.

Paris has issued a map showing where, within its limits, the tango may and may not be danced.

## SPORT... COMMENT

The Senators that are Hester's and also of Phoenix, stars of Arizona, demonstrated the use of the good piece of wood yesterday, when they clouted out a third straight victory over the proud Cruces team. This brings us to the realization that it is entirely meet and proper to say something about the impression these ball players of ours have made in 421 Paso. Evidently the baseball writers of the two papers there are not of the gentle and peaceful variety that grow in this section of Arizona. For, while the morning paper man says the Hesterites are bueno, the evening paper man allows that they ain't a dence of a lot better than most any sand lot team. He casts insinuations at Scanlon on third base, and grudgingly admits that McAdie and Dowling are pretty fair.

Of course, we have had no means of comparing the Senators with El Paso. Nor is there any line on Phoenix and Albuquerque. A sport critic who is a good deal higher than any writing for papers on the Rio Grande circuit, says that the Phoenix club is the best balanced of the league, has better pitchers than Albuquerque, and lacks only a little of the hitting ability of the hard sticking Dukes. He leaves El Paso and Las Cruces about even third, but really prefers Phoenix at the present time as the best club on paper, at least. Our steady progress to first place seems to back up his assertion. Certainly, Albuquerque has had all kinds of opportunity to keep the lead, since Albuquerque has met the same teams Phoenix has met.

If Tucson is to be a contender, it will be due to the pitching staff that Kitty Brashers has assembled, and to one of two stout hitters like Rader and Mac Murdo.

### WILSON STANDS

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calm wisdom of your government in its relations thereto.

"Several times in the past eight months, the interests of the United States have necessitated diplomatic protest and intervention to safeguard your rights as neutrals, but such diplomatic action, while always strong and dignified, has ever been fair, courteous and in accord with the rules of international law, and showed due consideration of the unparalleled conditions of the present mighty struggle.

The actions of your government have been sustained by the intelligent judgment of the mass of your printed publications and of your citizens."

Justice Weir also praised the humanitarian efforts of Americans. "The gratitude of the stricken hero soldier,"

he said, "of widowed mothers and famished children in every section of blood-stained Europe creates a new halo round 'Old Glory' that the coming centuries will never dim."

His theme was "Democracy and Peace". He spoke to support the proposition "that the spread of democracy is the first step necessary for the diminution or prevention of wars; that the leadership of the nations by their nobility, their military classes and their materialistic plutocrats has failed to advance the cause of peace or the happiness of the peoples, and that such leadership must be changed or strongly controlled before international arbitration and law shall reign supreme."

"Should the central European powers succeed," he concluded, "there will follow, apart from the penalties to be inflicted on the defeated nations, serious interference with the rights of the people of the Balkan peninsula and an attempt to control in the interest of

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